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Methodology for Generating a Fistula)	
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Associated Blood Vessels at a Pre-)	
<u>Chosen Anatomic Site in-Vivo</u>)	

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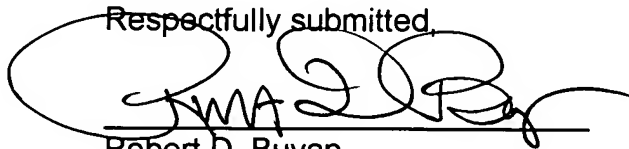
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The disclosed references, when taken alone or in combination, are not believed to disclose nor make obvious the invention as claimed in the subject application.

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